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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
OAKLAND DIVISION

IN RE LITHIUM ION BATTERIES  
ANTITRUST LITIGATION,

Case No. 13-MD-02420 YGR (DMR)

MDL No. 2420

This Documents Relates to:  
ALL INDIRECT PURCHASER ACTIONS

ADMINISTRATIVE MOTION TO FILE  
UNDER SEAL

DATE ACTION FILED: Oct. 3, 2012

Indirect Purchaser Plaintiffs (IPPs) bring this administrative motion pursuant to Civil Local Rule 7-11 and 79-5, to file under seal portions of the Indirect Purchaser Plaintiffs' Opposition to Panasonic and Sanyo Defendants' Motion to Strike Indirect Purchaser Plaintiffs' Second Renewed Motion for Class Certification because it contains information designated by defendants and/or third parties as "Confidential," or "Highly Confidential," under the Stipulated Protective Order ("Protective Order") in place in this action.<sup>1</sup> The Protective Order requires that information designated as confidential "qualify for protection under standards developed under Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(c)."<sup>2</sup> In turn, under Rule 26(c), a Court may require "that a trade secret or other confidential research, development, or commercial information not be revealed or be revealed only in a specified way."<sup>3</sup>

Pursuant to the Protective Order and Civil Local Rule 79-5(d), the designating parties must now demonstrate that the designated information is sealable or must withdraw the designation of confidentiality.

DATED: August 30, 2018

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<sup>1</sup> Stipulated Protective Order, May 17, 2013, ECF No. 193.

<sup>2</sup> *Id.*, ¶ 2.3.

<sup>3</sup> Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(c)(1)(G).

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